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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Mary M. Bendig et al.

Application No.: 09/155,739

Filed: September 11, 1998

For: THERAPEUTIC USES OF
HUMANIZED ANTIBODIES AGAINST
ALPHA-4 INTEGRIN

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the
following amendments:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claim:

17. The use according to [any one of the preceding claims] claim 1, wherein
the humanized antibody is a humanized form of the mouse 21.6 antibody.

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